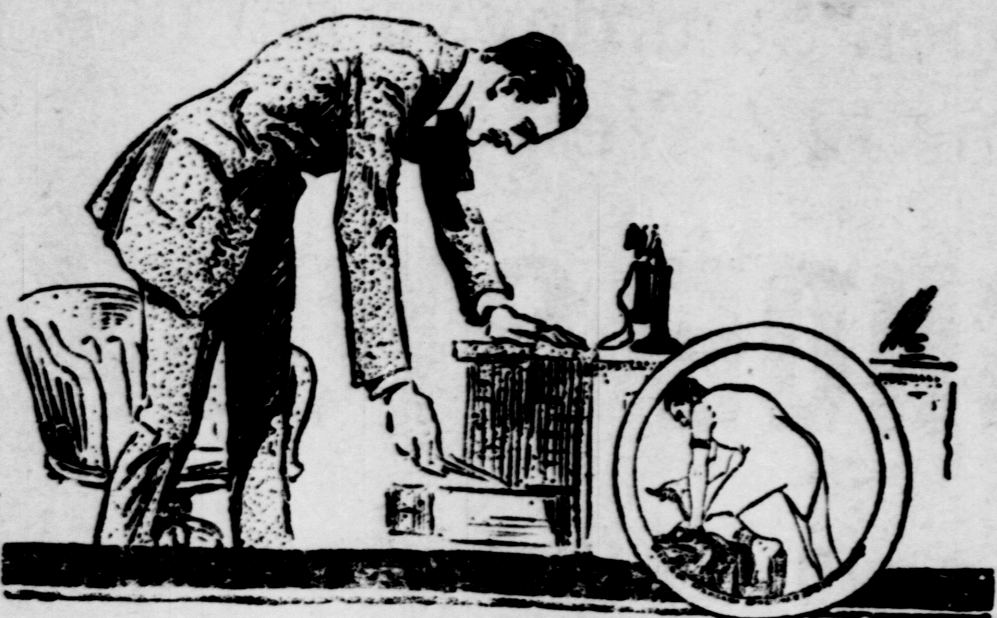


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# GERMAN DRIVE SCORES MORE GAINS IN POSITIONS

BRITISH ADMIT LOSS OF MT. KEMMEL. FRENCH LAUNCH COUNTER ATTACK ON MOUNTAIN.

(By the Associated Press)

Flanders is again the scene of the full tide of battle. Against Mt. Kemmel and other hills forming protections to the plains south and east of Ypres, the Germans are hurling thousands of troops. Standing on the second defense, with Mt. Kimmel still in their possession the British are fighting tenaciously. The enemy's first assaults on the seven mile front from Bailleul to Kemmel to Wyttschaete were successful and allied troops compelled to give up first defense line. South of the Somme the Germans have been driven from the high ground and Villers-Bretonneux by the British with a loss of 600 prisoners. Heavy artillery duels are progressing farther south near Hangard.

Artillery Fighting in Progress

Paris, April 26.—Heavy artillery fighting south of the Somme is reported by the war office. A number of raids, especially at Lassigny where some prisoners were taken, were carried out, the statement adds.

## GERMANS ON KEMMEL HILL

ALLIED LINE BENT BACKWARD  
ALONG STRETCH OF TEN  
MILES ON ORTH FRONT.

(By the Associated Press)

London, April 26.—The Germans have attained a footing on Kemmel Hill in attacks on the northern front, the war office announces. Fierce fighting continues in this region. Allied forces were engaged all day yesterday with greatly superior enemy forces along this front from Bailleul to Holbeke about ten miles, and finally were compelled to give ground. German posts which were holding out southwest of Villers Bretonneux, south of the Somme, after recapture by the British, were cleared up.

Paris Under Fire Again.

Paris, April 26.—The long range bombardment of Paris was resumed during the night but as far as known no one has been injured and no appreciable damage done.

French Launch Counter Attack

With the British Armies in France, April 26.—The French this morning counter attacked in an attempt to reclaim Mount Kemmel positions taken by the Germans. Yesterday's fighting was of a desperate nature and enemy gains were made only at frightful cost.

Report of Loss Confirmed.

London, April 26 (2 p. m.).—The Germans in an attack on the northern battle front have occupied Kemmel Hill, General Delma Radcliffe, chief director of military operations at the war office, announced this afternoon.

## MORE BOYS WILL BE SUBJECT TO DRAFT

Washington, April 25.—The House late today adopted the Senate resolution for the registration for military service of young men who have reached the age of 21 years since June 5 last.

An amendment offered by Representative Hull of Iowa, and adopted 119 to 81, provides that men registered under the draft bill shall be placed at the bottom of the classes to which they may be assigned.

The house sustained the military committee in striking out a provision of the bill as it passed the senate which would exempt from registration those eligibles who have entered medical or divinity schools since June 5 last.

Representative Kahn of California, ranking Republican on the military committee told the house the proposed new registration would place from 500,000 to 700,000 new registrants available for military service.

In that connection he recalled that Germany recently called into service its class of 1919 consisting of approximately 550,000 men.

## SIXTEEN INDICTED

FOR PRAGER DEATH  
Edwardsville, Ill., April 25.—Indictments were returned late today against sixteen persons by the grand jury which investigated the lynching on April 5 of Robert Paul Prager at Collinsville.

Twelve indictments were against civilians and charged murder, and four indictments were against policemen charging malfeasance in office. Prager who was an enemy alien, was taken from the basement of the jail in Collinsville on the morning of April 5, led to the outskirts of the town and hanged.

## NEWS BREVITIES.

Stonewall.—A special election has been called for May 17 on a proposed bond issue of \$10,000 with which to extend the waterworks system of the town.

Lehigh.—A 54-foot pole has been presented to the town by a coal company.

Wapanucka.—Triplets, all boys, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Proce. The attending physician christened them Red, White and Blue.

Durant.—The county Liberty Loan committee has decided to organize a strong arm squad of a few of the huskiest men to be found in the county who will call on men who refused to buy bonds and unless they show a valid reason for their refusal the squad will use persuasive measures of some kind not specified.

Beautiful line of linen and gingham dresses at Burk's. 4-23-5td-1tw

## HOLLAND STRIKES AT UNITED STATES QUARREL ENDS IN KILLING

PLACES EMBARGO ON SEVERAL  
EXPORTS FROM EAST INDIES  
NEEDED HERE.

BUD SHAHAN SHOT AND KILLED  
NEAR STEEDMAN. HOMER  
PANELL WOUNDED.

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, April 26.—Holland has placed an embargo on the exportation from the Dutch East Indies of tin, tin ore, cinchona bark, quinine and quinine salts, all needed in large quantities by the United States for war munitions and food preservation. Official notification of the embargo, effective April 22, was received today.

Bud Shahan was shot and instantly killed and his brother-in-law, Homer Pannell, painfully wounded about sunup this morning at the home of the first named between Steedman and Conway, in the eastern part of Pontotoc county. Tom Tinney surrendered to Constable W. H. Allison after the shooting was brought to Ada and lodged in jail.

The weapon used was a shotgun and Shahan received the full charge of No. 2 shot in his head, dying almost instantly. Pannell's life was probably saved by his throwing up his right hand just in time to receive most of the second charge. His hand was badly torn and some shot entered his neck. He was brought to Ada for medical attention and was able to walk about after his wounds were dressed.

Shahan and Tinney and their families occupied the same house, each family occupying a part, and it is said the trouble originated over their children. Finney had gone to Allen Thursday under a warrant placing Shahan under a peace bond. This morning he is said to have opened fire while Shahan and Pannell were hitching up a team.

LIBERTY CABBAGE MAY  
TAKE PLACE OF SAUER KRAUT.

(By the Associated Press)

New York, April 26.—Sauer kraut may be camouflaged under the name of Liberty Cabbage, if the federal food board here acts favorably on the recommendation of local vegetable dealers who assert that the pro-German stigma of the dish has been responsible for a falling off of 75 per cent in consumption since America entered the war.

Death of Mrs. Obey Dyer.  
Mrs. Obey Dyer died at her home near Abbott's store Wednesday night. The body was interred at Frisco cemetery today. The husband of deceased is in the army but reached home in time for the funeral. Mrs. Dyer is also survived by three children, 10 years, 18 months and five weeks of age, respectively. She was the daughter of Watt Chapman and niece of John Chapman of Ada. She was a lady who stood high in the esteem of the large circle of friends who knew her.

More Coal Below.  
"Snow Cole," the bootblack at Frank Yeargain's Barber Shop, was overheard talking to one of his brothers of color on the streets of Ada last evening. The other colored gentleman inquired:

"Why is it dat der am sich a short of coal in dis here United States. I jest natchally like ter know?"

"You see here, nigger," replied "Snow," "you know dem Englishmans and Frenchmans in 'urope am killing dem Germans so fast dat it am takin' a heap more coal to run hell."

## WEATHER REPORT.

Fair weather is the outlook for Saturday.

## 13 MEN WILL BE CALLED FOR IN MAY

The county exemption board is working on the list of men who will be called to service in the early part of May. Thirteen will be sent to Fort Sam Houston. Following is a tentative list, but there may be some changes in it due to a few being deferred classification on agricultural grounds.

- Order No.
- 491 Chas. R. Gee
  - 1027 Clarence Henry
  - 1029 Jim Peoples
  - 1031 Clyde W. Chapman
  - 1037 Elza Myrick
  - 1043 Gardner W. Braley
  - 1046 Harvey J. Palmer
  - 1063 Willie O. Johns
  - 1066 Richard R. Goodwin
  - 1075 Floyd G. Rollow
  - 1082 Leonard Southerland
  - 1092 Jno. W. Grew
  - 1093 Lillard L. Hill.

## CLARK DECLINES PLACE IN SENATE

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, April 25.—Speaker Clark, of the House, today declined Governor Gardner's proffer of the Missouri senatorship left vacant by the death of Senator Stone.

Gents' furnishings, shoes and ladies' apparel at Burk's. 4-23-5td-1tw  
Snappy line of shoes at Burk's. 4-23-5td-1tw

## RULES GOVERNING PURCHASE OF SUGAR

Judge Orel Busby, county food administrator, states that some regulations regarding the purchase and use of sugar are to be issued by the administration. From this date purchases of sugar by town people will be limited to 50c and those to country customers \$1.00. However, provision will be made for those who must have more sugar for canning and preserving when the season arrives. By signing a certificate of the use to which they expect to put the sugar, a larger quantity may be had for the purposes mentioned.

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## GERMAN OFFICER LOSES COMMAND

BLAMED FOR BEING CAUGHT  
NAPPING BY BRITISH AT  
ZEEBRUGGE.

(By the Associated Press)

Amsterdam, April 26.—Vice Admiral Schroeder, commander at Zeebrugge, according to reports reaching here, will be deprived of his command for being taken by surprise by the British in Tuesday's naval raid. German newspapers, in their comment, generally represent the enterprise as a failure. Some, however, admit the boldness of the attack.

## New Swindle.

Parents of soldiers in camps are warned by the war department of a swindle which has been successfully operated in various camps.

A telegram is sent informing that the soldier has a furlough, and requesting funds by wire to come home waiving identification. The rest is a mere matter of detail.

Parents and friends should be warned of this game and of the similar one where the telegraphic request is to mail money to the soldier, care general delivery.—Lehigh News.

You will enjoy the Benefit Concert Friday evening at the Christian church.

## Toilet Articles

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- Harmont Face Powder ..... 50c
- Nadine Face Powder ..... 60c
- La Blache Face Powder ..... 60c
- Imogine Face Powder ..... 65c
- Bouquet Janice Face Powder ..... 75c
- Djier Kiss Face Powder ..... 75c, \$1.25
- Azurea Face Powder ..... \$1.50
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## BRITISH FOOD CONTROLLER QUILTS

London, April 25.—David Alfred Thomas, third Baron Rhondda, has resigned the office of British food controller which he has held for the past ten months. He has been absent from his post for some time on account of illness.

## NEARLY TWO BILLION DOLLARS SUBSCRIBED

(By the Associated Press)  
Washington, April 26.—Liberty Loan Day opened with a total of \$1,956,776,650 already raised for the third war credit. The \$2,000,000,000 mark is expected to be passed before tonight.



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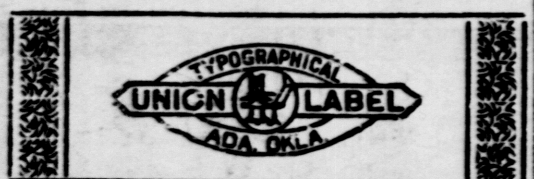
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There was never a nation placed more squarely between the devil and the deep, deep sea than poor little Holland. She has long feared the greed of Germany which has had covetous eyes on the Dutch seaports and harbors, but has made every effort to remain neutral and above all not offend her barbarous neighbor. To this end Dutch ships were mostly taken from the seas until the allies seized them and put them back into service. Holland protested bitterly against the seizure, but this was probably done more to placate Germany than for any other reason. Now comes the Hun and demands the right to transport his troops and war supplies across the little country to Belgium. To yield would bring the Dutch nation into the position of a vassal of the Kaiser and the stopping of intercourse with the allies with the consequence of a ruined fame. To refuse might mean to share the fate of Belgium, hence the grave situation confronting the nation. To date no inclination to yield to the unwarranted demands of the Huns has been manifest.

### THEY KNOW NOT—TEACH THEM.

This is a time that tries men's souls. More than one man has met his death at the hands of the mobs as a result of something he had said or done, relative to the war. We cannot condemn too strongly those who are not willing to roll up their sleeves, dig in and put their last effort and dollar into the mighty struggle. But at the same time we must not forget that we sometimes carry our enthusiasm too far. A man with a son in the army does not hesitate to take care of those here at home, who appear to him to be disloyal. We must sympathize with him, but there are chances of carrying a thing so far that regret afterwards will be the result.

Offentimes what is said or done is in ignorance. Only a few days ago we had occasion to show a man that he was wrong in regard to the draft law, and that he would get the same rights that the richest boy in the country would get. That man is now doing all he can for the war. A lady in Ada a few days ago was distributing literature which is not exact-

ly seditious but against which public opinion is bitter. It was evident that had the lady kept on, personal violence would probably have been the result. When the matter was explained to the lady, she promised to stop, for she did not know that the matter was serious.

We must be diligent. We must keep our eyes open for spies and innocent workers for the Kaiser. We must demand allegiance at home while our boys fight our battles abroad. But the County Council of Defense is an organization to look into matters of disloyalty. If you know of anything that resembles disloyalty call members of the council and the facts will be ascertained. Let's be 100 per cent loyal and at the same time know we are right.

### THE SECOND OFFENSIVE.

The second attempt of the Germans to push westward and take Amiens is making slow progress, in fact is making little progress at all. The punch that Germany put into the first drive through the British fifth army is not there any more, for the means of communication and the reserves are not so readily at hand. It begins to appear more evident day by day that Hindenburg threw his armies into this part of his line, determined to break through at any cost. By hurling row upon row of men against the allied lines, he was able to smash through, sever the French and British and for a moment it appeared that the two armies would not be able to join again. It was at this point that the French and British proved their resourcefulness and proved that they cannot be whipped by the Germans.

By a dash that was little less than marvelous the French got in front of the advancing Germans, joined hands with the British on the north, brought up the artillery, and before Hindenburg could get ready to drive further westward, his path had been blocked. Now time has been given for the transportation facilities west of the town to be put in shape for a surrender of more territory if necessary.

That a surrender of more territory at this time looks doubtful. The Germans are in a dangerous position both in the Amiens salient and in the Ypres salient. They must fight forward or before long retrace their steps, abandon territory won by the sacrifice of a half million or more men.

### HOLLAND WITH THE ALLIES.

That would sound mighty good if it were true, and why may it not be true? You hear people say they pity Holland. Of course they pity her, just as they pity Belgium, France, England, the United States or any nation at war. It is true Holland is in a peculiar place, situated beside a neighbor that respects neither the property nor the wife and daughters of his next door neighbor or his closest relative. But why should that fact keep Holland from doing what she knows is right?

It is said Germany has sent an ultimatum to Holland, demanding the right to transport war materials over Holland's railroads and through Holland's canals. If Holland permits such to be done, it is practically the same as declaring war upon the allies, for it is a clear breach of neutrality. Holland's sympathy and ideals are pro-ally. For her to side with Germany would mean that she merely fears the German army. Little Belgium met the foe like a man, and Holland does less the nation will receive and deserve the contempt of the free nations of the world. It is up to Holland to show the world that she is ready to fight for what she knows is right.

### HAVE MERCY.

Some time next month the Red Cross will ask the American people for another \$100,000,000 to carry on its work of mercy. An account of its stewardship of the first gift makes us pause before the immensity of the need which it alone can meet. And as the battles rage and the bodies of men are torn the need multiplies. You will be asked for money. Give it freely.

All Europe is aflame, yet we in America have thus far seen nothing of the red light of European devastation. All Europe is on the verge of starvation, yet we in America, despite our sacrifices, have sufficient food. We hear, as though they were old legends, tales of the cruelty of the wounded men on the battle-fields, tales of desolation in towns and villages of France, yet our streets are not filled with the maimed, nor our hospitals as yet crowded with the convalescent. Our papers have only casual casualty lists, but through casual casualty during the past three years Europe has been worn to a keen, sensitive edge of endurance.

It is only just now that the distance of three thousand miles is beginning to crumble before the nearness of war to the American people. It is just now that our drive which is launched for the Great Cause there is felt a spiritual urge



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to contribute something to keep burning the eternal fire which is not the fire of Mars but the fire of spirit.

If we know the character of the women in the Red Cross trenches, this new drive on the part of the Red Cross will be instantly met. There is no need to justify the work. The great need is to continue it, and to continue it on as large a scale as possible. Recall what the Red Cross did at the time of the Halifax disaster, December 6, 1917. Only a few hours had elapsed after the explosion, when blankets, surgical dressings, medicines and clothing were on their way, and an entire equipment for a base hospital unit was speeded along hundreds of miles of battle line, where each sector on the Western Front may be regarded as a number of Halifax disasters, and you can then realize the magnitude of the need of the national Red Cross.

I see a long line of white-capped women called into the service of mercy. It is peculiarly their war, and they are waging it in the name of that long line of ravished womanhood stricken by the enemy. According to Major Grayson M. P. Murphy, American Red Cross Commissioner to Europe, she has lost nothing so far except blood. "She has fought her war on the territory of others. She has drawn from the territory of others vast supplies of materials, and vast sums of money. She has had between forty and fifty millions of people working for her for practically no wage—really as slaves." It is this that urges us to give more and still more to the Great Cause. A long line of never-failing, white-capped women. A host of children. And before them all, a mighty, over-ruling force. Let the first line be weak through want, and the fate of the white-capped workers of the Red Cross is the fate of the long line of the ravished and deported women. Let that line go, and the future generations are put in jeopardy. We need must give to mercy against the coming of those who have no mercy.—Montrose J. Moses in the May Good Housekeeping.

An electrically ignited pipe which lights the tobacco at the bottom of the bowl instead of at the top, thus avoiding the collection of moisture in the stem, is the newest in smoker's inventions.

## THOUSANDS OF PERSIANS STARVING

Petrograd, March 15.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—People are dying of hunger in the streets of the large towns of Persia, notably in Hamadan and Senne, says a dispatch from Kazvin to the Rostovskaya Rech.

"The spectre of famine has become a fearful reality," the correspondent wrote. "To pass through two or three streets in Hamadan or Senne is enough to come upon two or three dead bodies. Here and there may be groups of women mourning over their dead. Here is a beggar woman—a mother with two children; one of them a baby in arms, is dead, and near the mother, on the ground is another child dying. The mother herself is already motionless, with a frozen, unintelligent stare. The Persians, seeing that a human being is 'really' dying, shove some bread into the dying woman's mouth, but the belated help, of course, does not save her life. 'The poor' villagers throng from the villages to the towns hoping in vain to be fed there."

"Even in Kazvin, this more or less well-to-do town, it has more than once fallen to the lot of your correspondent to take up from the streets people stripped bare, who from exhaustion have been unable to move. Mothers sell their daughters, still mere children, in order to secure a crust of bread; wives of poor men are given to the rich that their families may be maintained."

"In Hamadan, a few days ago, sparks of a hunger riot broke out, and it was only the presence of Russian troops that stopped the movement, that was ready to embrace the whole country with its flames."

"There is a report that Kuchik Khan, that freebooter's chief, who lives in the forests near Resht, and has, under arms, about 30,000 mounted men is only waiting to raise a revolt till the Russian troops leave."

"While trying to organize among the Persians, public aid for the starving, I am brought up against either the Persians' indifference or their government's corruption, of a truly Oriental character."

"The misery is almost irremediable."

### ATTACKS OF ALLIED AIRCRAFT ON TURKISH WARSHIP

(By the Associated Press)  
London, March 30.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—More than fifteen tons of bombs were dropped by British aircraft at or upon the disabled former German battle cruiser Goeben while she lay aground at Nagara Point, in the Dardanelles, last January after a disastrous sortie, says a detailed story of the affair which has just been received here. Two hundred and seventy five airplane flights were made in an attempt to complete the destruction of the warship.

Eight or ten airplanes continuously harried the Goeben and Breslau during their sortie from the Dardanelles, compelling them to steer a zig-zag course which eventually brought Breslau into a British mine field, where she struck a mine. Shortly afterward, she was hit by an aircraft bomb and sank.

The Goeben, heading for home, also struck a mine and developed a serious list. Aircraft continued to bomb her while she entered the straits and ran aground at Nagara Point. For seven days she remained there, subjected to continual attacks from the British aircraft.

On January 29, a British scout machine sighted the Goeben in the Arsenal Dry Docks at Constantinople.

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### LIEUT. FRANK MCCAIN

#### WRITES FROM ITALY.

Mrs. L. J. McCain is in receipt of the following letter from her son, Lieut. Frank McCain, who is an instructor at the Italian aviation camp at Goggia, a town in Southern Italy. Foggia, Italy, March 23, 1918.

My Dear Mother:

For almost a week I have not written to anyone. I have tried to get down to write to you and others, but kept waiting until a more favorable time. There has been no reason for this, for I have had much spare time. In fact, I have done very little for two months. At present there are considerable signs of activity, due, possibly, to the new German offensive which started in Flanders yesterday. We are sending some men away from here tonight. They are men who have chosen a different kind of machine and that (along with the German offensive) is perhaps the reason for their departure at this time. I am preparing for a different type of machine, a much larger one, so I shall continue my training here for some time. This pleases me very well just now, but hope to move before long.

Men are packing their trunks on all sides of me. Some methodically, others as I would—haphazardly. The time element means nothing to the class of Italians around us. Ninety-nine per cent of the Italian soldiers around here are very stupid, and it takes them three or four times as long to do anything as it should. For that reason one can have them do almost anything for a little of nothing. They receive only two cents a day for their soldier pay, so you can understand how cheap their services are.

It is still very cool here even this late in March. Today a stiff breeze is blowing a cool moisture off the Adriatic Sea.

I shall try to write more soon.

Love,

FRANK.

### MEXICAN DELEGATES GET COOL RECEPTION IN ARGENTINE

(By the Associated Press)  
Buenos Aires, April 26.—With the departure of the Mexican delegates who came to this country as a special embassy from the President of Mexico and whose diplomatic credentials were not recognized by the government, the long-discussed congress of Latin-American neutrals appears to have been definitely abandoned by this country.

This proposed conference was to have brought the South and Central American republics into a closer union to oppose pressure from larger nations and it has been stated here that it even was to have served as the basis for a Spanish-American Union by leading to another conference between diplomatic representatives of the member republics and diplomatic agents of Spain, that country already having announced its intention of seeking closer relations with South America as soon as the war is over.

That this neutrality conference

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was once the dream of President Irigoyen as the crowning glory of his international policy is no longer doubted, but it has met with such a cold reception since the South American republics began, one by one, to throw aside their neutrality and cast their lots with the Entente Allies that no one was surprised when it was announced that the proposed conference has been indefinitely postponed.

The aims and purposes of the proposed congress never were clearly set forth despite the fact that several nations invited to it insisted on such a statement being made before they accepted the invitation.

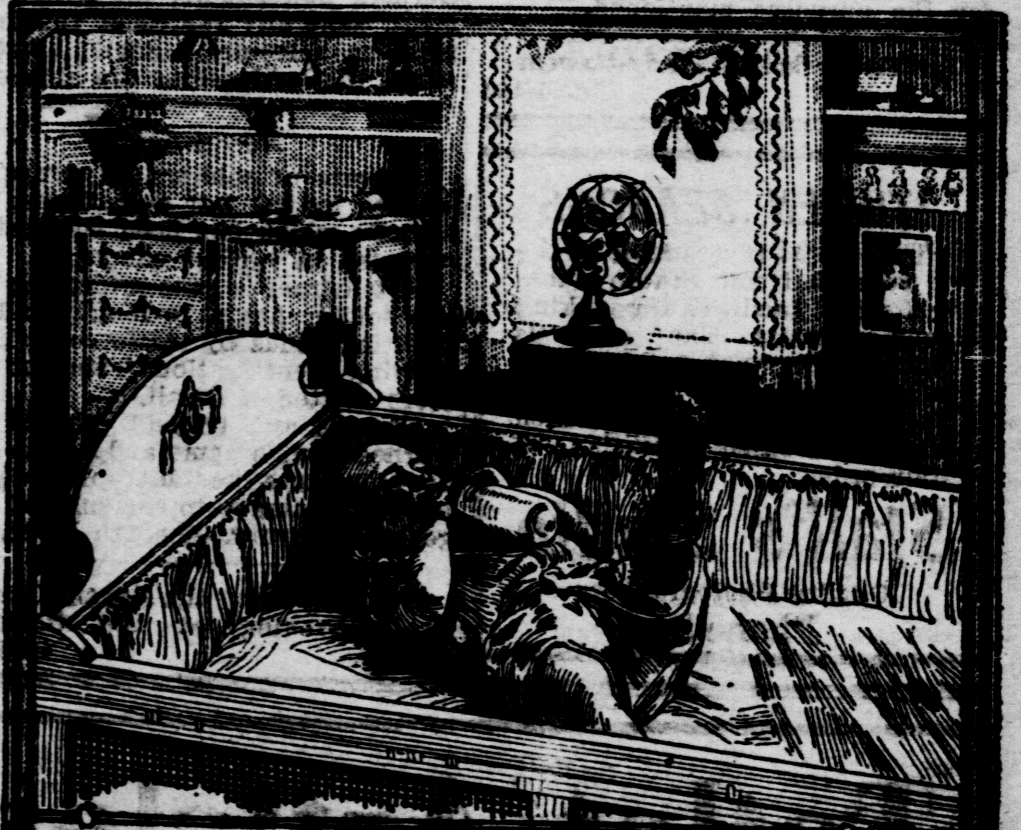
The Mexican delegates who had been assigned to attend this conference continued their journey to Argentina after being notified that the conference had been postponed, and they were coolly received by both the people and the government of Argentina.

Senor Cabrera did succeed in arranging with this government for the chartering of Argentine transports to carry cereals to Mexico, but this arrangement was cancelled by the government.

Why not go where the crowd all goes? Morrison and Cooper, the Chiropractors. 4-26-18

### Methodist Matters.

The pastor of the Methodist church is out of the city this week, but he will be looking for you next Sunday morning and evening. He has a war talk for the morning hour and there will be a song service at the evening hour.—W. M. Crutchfield, Pastor.



## DR. WILEY SUGGESTS ELECTRIC FAN FOR BABY

This authority on food and health, discussing, in Good Housekeeping, means for reducing infant mortality, said:

"... the fan is an excellent apparatus for mitigating the suffering from heat. Air in motion carries away rapidly from the body, heat that it absorbs or that is radiated from it. No cooling process of this kind can diminish the natural warmth of the body, but it can minimize the discomfort that the infant must endure from stagnant air. It is well that the current of the fan be not directly on the infant's body, but over it or to one side."

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## Benefit Concert

Miss Lillie Lawson, a talented reader, will give a concert at the C. M. church under the auspices of the XX Century Housewives League, Friday, April 26th, at 8 P. M. Miss Lawson is defraying her expenses at our State University by giving readings and has charmed and entertained many audiences the past winter. Give the helping hand by attending this concert, to a deserving young woman, who is seeking a higher education. Miss Lawson will be assisted by Miss McRuer, a whistler of unusual attainments

**Admission . 25c**

**SHRINERS' RED CROSS FLOUR STILL SELLING**  
San Francisco, April 25.—The Shriners' Red Cross sack of flour has brought \$18,000 since it started around the country from Islam temple here.

Charlotte, N. C., Oasis temple sold it for \$1,000 and Crescent Temple at Trenton, N. J., got \$1,150 for it. Bridgeport, Conn., and Indianapolis have both sold the same sack.

On May 3, India Temple at Oklahoma City will sell the sack at its golden jubilee, and figure on getting at least \$50,000 for it. If they do, it will be the highest price ever paid for a sack of flour. The highest mark to date is \$40,000, paid for the famous Civil War sack of flour in Virginia City, Nev.

The Red Cross sack will be taken to the Shriners' imperial council in Atlantic City next June by Potentate John D. McGilvray of San Francisco. The sack was started out by Clarence F. Pratt, historian of Islam temple.

Burk's store is cheaper in shoes, ladies' dresses, suits, waists and everything to wear. 4-23-5td-1tw

New Gents' furnishings and shoes in front of building. Ladies' ready-to-wear in rear dept. Burk's. 4-23-5td-1tw

A War Savings Society is a War Club and is as essential for the promulgation of thrift and savings as the old-fashioned war club was for the savage.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

## TO-DAY LIBERTY TO-DAY

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And his Dancing Beauty Chorus, in a complete change of program. When you see and hear this fun show you forget your troubles.

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"Up to three years ago," continued Mr. English, "I was just about as strong and healthy as most any man you'll find. Then I lost my appetite and began to fall off in weight and go down hill. My old time energy and vitality left me. I suffered often with nervousness and headache and kept getting worse until I could hardly get out of bed in the mornings. My wife would almost have to yank me out of bed, and to tell you the truth, my condition was getting critical."

"I finally decided to see what Tanlac would do for me, and I began to improve right away until now, I have gained more than twenty pounds and am feeling a hundred percent fine when it comes to health, strength and energy. I actually feel as good as I did when I was a boy. I'm the first one up in the mornings and I can do as much work in a day as anyone and not feel the least bit tired. I am now telling my friends who I know to be in a rundown condition like I was if they take Tanlac and it don't help them I'll pay the bill, and I mean it. I certainly do believe in Tanlac. I consider it the finest medicine ever sold in a drug store and I guess I ought to know."

Tanlac is sold in Ada by Gwin & Mays Drug Company, and by leading druggists and dealers everywhere. Adv.

### Our New Food Habits.

That the campaign of conservation and elimination necessitated by the war is teaching the people of this country new food habits which are an improvement upon our former menus is the belief of Mildred Maddocks, domestic science expert, and director of Good Housekeeping Institute. She interprets several of the recommendations of the Food Administration as follows:

You are asked to substitute other cereals for wheat. In selecting them choose corn preparations, toast, ed, flaked, grits, hominy, samp, corn meal, and hulled corn. Use rice either puffed, brown or plain. Use barley, flaked or cracked, and all the forms of oatmeal and rolled oats.

"In selecting breads, remember, if you buy them that the baker has already followed the war formula, so you need only use the loaves with no waste, and your obligations will be met. But if you make bread in your own home, use one cup of barley, rye, or corn flour to every three cups of barley, rye or corn flour to every three cups of wheat flour. Yeast bread is an impossibility without some wheat flour, so far the wheatless days use the quick breads leavened with baking powder that can be made entirely without wheat."

"In selecting meat, buy enough for the ample nourishment of your family. Do not attempt a vegetarian plan with growing children, although for adults it will prove safe enough. Foods that have real meat value, and that may be substituted to a large extent for meat, are eggs, cheese, milk, beans, soy beans, peas, fish and cereals."

"In buying poultry, remember that fowl and heavy guinea hens and heavy geese represent more food value for the money than chicken, guinea 'keets' that often masquerade as game, or ducklings."

"There are now excellent substitutes for butter. Use the animal and vegetable margarins especially for adults, leaving butter at allowance for the children. In cooking use fats, whether animal or vegetable, sparingly and with judgment. Some of the newer fats that housekeepers are becoming familiar with are the cotton-seed oils and hardened cotton-seed fats, the peanut oils and the coconut oils, and hardened fats."

"Deep frying is more economical of fat than sauteing. It is not too much to ask every Kitchen Soldier to throw away her saute pan, spider or frying pan (and three names are used for the same utensil,) at least until the end of the war. By that time it will be safe to say she will never return it to service."

"The sugar situation is easing considerably, but canning time is approaching, therefore continue the use of sirups in quantity in order to conserve sugar for canning in which it is not easy to use substitutes."

"And finally and most important of all: Adopt a tolerant attitude of mind in facing new conditions, that will enable you to accept and use the new foods as they come on the market, giving them at least the one fair trial that they deserve."

No Cure for Fowl Cholera. "There is no cure that I know of for fowl cholera," says professor H. E. Embleton of A. and M. College. "My recommendation would be to kill off and burn or deeply bury all of the affected birds."

"If your poultry house is stationary, or if the birds are in the habit of roosting in one spot, I should see to it that there is a change made so that the birds get on fresh ground. I would build a colony house with runners underneath it so that this colony house could be moved around next year. Before moving the house I would disinfect it thoroughly with a 10 per cent solution of sheep or cattle dip. A little potassium permanganate in the water, just enough to give it a good pink color, would help materially as a preventive with the well birds."

Health makes wealth. See Morrison and Cooper. 4-23-1t

## ENLISTED NAVY MEN CAN GET COMMISSIONS

(By the Associated Press)  
Kansas City, Mo., April 26.—Any men enlisting in the navy or enrolling in the naval reserve may win a commission if he can pass the rigid professional and physical tests of the navy, according to an announcement made by the navy recruiting service at Kansas City today.

All naval recruits are now eligible for what the navy calls the material classes. The requirements are at least on month in the navy, between 21 and 30 years of age, education equivalent to at least completion of high school course including trigonometry and knowledge of logarithms, and fitness to lead men.

Selections for officer material schools are not made at recruiting stations. Men wishing to try for navy commissions must enlist or enroll in the regular way and take their chances of being designated. If they are not designated or fail to qualify they will not be discharged from naval service but made petty officers and retained in service until the end of the war. They will not be barred from entering a later class at the officers' school however.

## YU DONE LOST YO OWN LANGUAGE??

With the American Army on the Lorraine Front, March 14.—(By Mail)—He was a black boy from Alabama—lonesome. He had been working in a stone quarry most all day and no one had said a word to him. He happened to look across the way and there was another black boy in khaki. The other black boy was a French colonial, but the American black boy looked only at the face and the color of the uniform.

"Low niggah, how's tricks?" was the opening social parry.

No answer.

"Ah say niggah, does you know Ah's talkin' to you?"

Then astonishment. From the other black came a rattle of French that would put a machine gun to shame.

The black boy from Alabama gasped. He couldn't believe his eyes or his ears.

"Foh da Gawd's sawe, niggah, has you been mixed up with these Frenchers so much you done lost yo' own language?" and he went back to work.

## PICKET PICKINGS

We had some real cold weather last week but the weather is nice now.

Dipping cattle was the order of the day last Friday.

Singing at Mr. Hudlow's Sunday night and all report a good time.

Mr. Bullock's baby has been real sick but was better the last report the writer had.

Miss Oma Decker was visiting at Mr. Faulkenberry's Sunday.

Dee Campbell is on the sick list this week.

All report a good time at the party at Roy Townsley's Saturday night.

There was a musical entertainment at Mr. Jim Hower's Monday night and all report a nice time.

Eugene Phillips was visiting Sterling Jones Saturday night and Sunday.

Pearl Hudlow was visiting at Mr. Craig's Sunday and Sunday night.

The Picket school is doing nicely and are arranging to render a nice program at the close of the school.

Mr. George Hinkle made a trip to Lawrence Sunday.

Some are planting cotton this week.

Mr. Hudlow and family were visiting at Mr. Hinkle's home Sunday.

Mr. Faulkenberry had two good horses to die with blind staggers last week.

## CHOCTAW BILL.

### Versailles.

Washington, April 25.—Versailles chosen as the meeting place for the Allied War Conference, which is to weld the armies and navies of the nations, arrayed against the Central Powers, into compact fighting bodies, is a spot rich in historic events. Through its lights and shadows and the vast halls of the stately palaces of Louis XIV, have walked men and women whose names will live as long as history itself. Here have been held solemn conferences at which great wars have been ended and the very fate of nations and states determined.

There in 1789 Marie Antoinette faced the wild mobs of the French Revolution, there in 1871 the grandfather of the kaiser was crowned as of Paris.

Significant too is the recollection that the site where American representatives now are co-operating with England and France there was signed in 1782 the preliminary treaty ending the American Revolution.

In the magnificent palace erected at an estimated cost of \$200,000,000 there were born Louis XV, Louis XVI, and Louis XVII, as well as several of France's ablest military leaders.

### Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and for their sympathy during the illness and at the death of our darling baby girl.

We are especially thankful for the beautiful offerings of flowers and to those who so graciously furnished their cars.

Jack Brundidge, Mrs. Jack Brundidge and Family.

### JONES CHAPEL.

School closes Saturday, April 27. We have an interesting program for that night. Everybody invited.

A few of the farmers of this neighborhood are planting cotton.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Charlie Norton has entirely recovered from the mumps.

Mrs. Whipple and Johnie Hardin visited school Wednesday.

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Citizens of Third Ward. There will be no meeting of the council of defense tonight. Come next Friday night and be patriotic.—Program Committee.

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## WANT ADS

### LOST

LOST—Diamond bar pin. Reward for return to Grace Threlkeld. 4-24-1t

LOST—Auto Casing—size 35x4 1/2—nearly new when lost was on an aperson rim. Liberal reward for return of same. N. B. Haney, Jr. 4-22-5t

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished bed room. Close in. 419 West 10th. 4-23-1t

FOR RENT—Rooms for lighthouse-keeping. Phone 716. 4-22-6t

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FOR RENT—Furnished bed rooms.—Mrs. M. J. Phillips, 707 East Main. Phone 109. 1-3-1t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms and two-room cottage in yard, 14th and Broadway. Mrs. Banks. 4-23-1t

FOR RENT—Elegant front bed room, also garage. Close in. Mrs. A. M. Bailey, Phone 701. 4-19-1t

### WANTED

WANTED—Your cleaning and pressing. Miller Bros. 3-1-1t

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WANTED—Waitresses. Apply in person.—Mrs. Land's Lunch Room. 4-25-1t

WANTED—Housekeeper, must be neat and clean. Phone 660 or apply at 518 E. 13th. 3-29-1t

WANTED—Second hand meal and cake bags. Will pay ten cents each for good sound bags. Osage Cotton Oil Company. 3-25-1t

WANTED—Position as clerk. 15 years experience. Groceries, Hardware or Furniture. Am working, but must change on account of schools. Address care of News, "E. H. 300." 4-26-1t

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New six room modern house. Telephone 315. 4-22-1t

FOR SALE—Regular old maps of the fields in this county. Ada News. 3-22-1t

FOR SALE—One dozen R. I. Red Pullets. One 50-bbl. galvanized tank. Phone 443. 4-24-3t

FOR SALE—200 bu. Mebane cotton seed. W. E. Walker, Ada. R. F. D. 2. 4-23-4td-1tw

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I have a 5 passenger Overland and a 7 passenger Mitchell, both in first class condition, which I will sell at a bargain on easy terms, or will trade for city property or farm. Phone 123.—J. W. Hora. 4-24-2t

FOR SALE—Two cars, one Overland, one Maxwell; Overland is an electric starter and in A1 shape, ready to run. Let me show you these cars. Priced right for cash. See me at once if you want a good car cheap. Robt. H. Gregory, Cor Broadway and Tenth Sts., Phone 252. 4-24-6t

FOR SALE—220-egg Imperial incubator used one season. Good as new and a splendid machine. 190 egg Old Trusty. 75 egg Safety Hatch. One roll of old and one roll of new wire cheap. 30 full blood Rhode Island Red hens. Call at Texas Wagon Yard for particulars. 4-25-2t

### MISCELLANEOUS

FOR TRADE—No. 4 Underwood Typewriter for No. 5 Underwood. Will give good trade. See W. D. Little at News office. 3-25-1t

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Wallace Henry et al. to George Terry, \$1; e2 se sec. 24, sw sec. 24, e2 sw sec. 13, all in twp. 1 n. 33; se ne sec. 25, e2 sw ne, sw ne sec. 25, all in 2n 4e, and sw 1/4 66-100 acres of lot 3, sec. 19, 1n 4e. George Terry to First Natl. Bank. Roff, \$1; this is to correct a deed made by same parties covering e2 sw nw recorded in Record 8 page 185. A. M. Bailey to R. A. Herndon and C. H. Rives, \$150; its y3, 14, 15, 16, blk 6, Portland Park add to Ada. Mollie Gray to Joe Gray, \$2,000; its 3, 4, blk 1, Greenwood add to Ada. Lee A. Thomason to D. Goodpasture, \$3500; ne se sec. 11, 3n, 5e. First State Bank, Vanoss to L. P. Shaw, \$600; its 1 8to 20, blk. 25, Vanoss. K. C. Parks to Lillie McDonald, \$700; its 9, 10, blk. 58, Ada. O. & G. Lease. Theodore and E. J. Benton to John C. Kincaid, w3 se sec. 24, 2n, 5e. Elizabeth J. Benton to Same, sw sec. 24, E2 ne se, ne se se of sec. 23, 2n, 5e.

You should be glad to assist a little. A young woman who is paying her own way to a higher education. This, Miss Lillie Lannon, the reader at the Christian church Friday evening, is trying to do. Buy a ticket. 4-25-2t

Ladies, get an exclusive style dress or waist at Burk's. 4-23-5td-1tw

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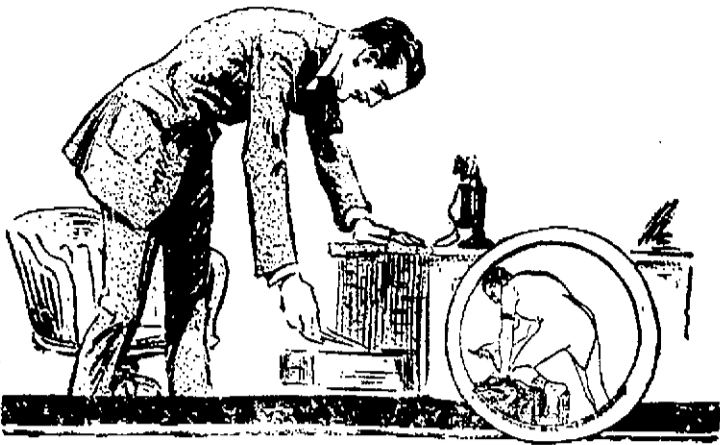
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**DISTRICT AND COUNTY**  
The News is authorized to announce the following gentlemen as candidates for the respective offices named, subject to the Democratic Primary:

For District Judge: **ARDEN L. BULLOCK.**  
For County Attorney: **WAYNE WADLINGTON.**  
For County Treasurer: **D. W. SWAFFAR.**  
For Sheriff: **BOB DUNCAN** (reelection)  
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## RULES GOVERNING PURCHASE OF SUGAR

Judge Orel Busby, county food administrator, states that some regulations regarding the purchase and use of sugar are to be issued by the administration. From this date purchases of sugar by town people will be limited to 50c and those to country customers \$1.00. However, provision will be made for those who must have more sugar for canning and preserving when the season arrives. By signing a certificate of the use to which they expect to put the sugar, a larger quantity may be had for the purposes mentioned.

Burk's for ladies' ready-to-wear. 4-23-5td-1tw

## GERMAN OFFICER LOSES COMMAND

BLAMED FOR BEING CAUGHT NAPPING BY BRITISH AT ZEEBRUGGE.

(By the Associated Press) Amsterdam, April 26.—Vice Admiral Schroeder, commander at Zeebrugge, according to reports reaching here, will be deprived of his command for being taken by surprise by the British in Tuesday's naval raid. German newspapers, in their comment, generally represent the enterprise as a failure. Some, however, admit the boldness of the attack.

### New Swindle.

Parents of soldiers in camps are warned by the war department of a swindle which has been successfully operated in various camps. A telegram is sent informing that the soldier has a furlough, and requesting funds by wire to come home waiting identification. The rest is a mere matter of detail. Parents and friends should be warned of this game and of the similar one where the telegraphic request is to mail money to the soldier, care general delivery.—Lehigh News.

You will enjoy the Benefit Concert Friday evening at the Christian church. 4-25-2t

## Toilet Articles

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# GERMAN DRIVE SCORES MORE GAINS IN POSITIONS

BRITISH ADMIT LOSS OF MT. KEMMEL. FRENCH LAUNCH COUNTER ATTACK ON MOUNTAIN.

(By the Associated Press)

Flanders is again the scene of the full tide of battle. Against Mt. Kemmel and other hills forming protections to the plains south and east of Ypres, the Germans are hurling thousands of troops. Standing on the second defense, with Mt. Kemmel still in their possession the British are fighting tenaciously. The enemy's first assaults on the seven mile front from Bailleul to Kemmel to Wyttschaete were successful and allied troops compelled to give up first defense line. South of the Somme the Germans have been driven from the high ground and Villers-Bretonneux by the British with a loss of 600 prisoners. Heavy artillery duels are progressing farther south near Hangard.

Artillery Fighting in Progress

Paris, April 26.—Heavy artillery fighting south of the Somme is reported by the war office. A number of raids, especially at Lassigny where some prisoners were taken, were carried out, the statement adds.

## GERMANS ON KEMMEL HILL

ALLIED LINE BENT BACKWARD ALONG STRETCH OF TEN MILES ON ORTH FRONT.

(By the Associated Press)

London, April 26.—The Germans have attained a footing on Kemmel Hill in attacks on the northern front, the war office announces. Fierce fighting continues in this region. Allied forces were engaged all day yesterday with greatly superior enemy forces along this front from Bailleul to Hellebeke about ten miles, and finally were compelled to give ground. German posts which were holding out southwest of Villers-Bretonneux, south of the Somme, after recapture by the British, were cleared up.

Paris Under Fire Again. Paris, April 26.—The long range bombardment of Paris was resumed during the night but as far as known no one has been injured and no appreciable damage done.

French Launch Counter Attack. With the British Armies in France, April 26.—The French this morning counter attacked in an attempt to reclaim Mount Kemmel positions taken by the Germans. Yesterday's fighting was of a desperate nature and enemy gains were made only at frightful cost.

Report of Loss Confirmed. London, April 26 (2 p. m.).—The Germans in an attack on the northern battle front have occupied Kemmel Hill, General Delma Radcliffe, chief director of military operations at the war office, announced this afternoon.

## MORE BOYS WILL BE SUBJECT TO DRAFT

Washington, April 25.—The House late today adopted the Senate resolution for the registration for military service of young men who have reached the age of 21 years since June 5 last.

An amendment offered by Representative Hull of Iowa, and adopted 119 to 81, provides that men registered under the draft bill shall be placed at the bottom of the classes to which they may be assigned.

The House sustained the military committee in striking out a provision of the bill as it passed the senate which would exempt from registration those eligibles who have entered medical or divinity schools since June 5 last.

Representative Kahn of California, ranking Republican on the military committee told the house the proposed new registration would place from 500,000 to 700,000 new registrants available for military service.

In that connection he recalled that Germany recently called into service its class of 1919 consisting of approximately 550,000 men.

### SIXTEEN INDICTED FOR PRAGER DEATH

Edwardsville, Ill., April 25.—Indictments were returned late today against sixteen persons by the grand jury which investigated the lynching on April 5 of Robert Paul Prager at Collinsville.

Twelve indictments were against civilians and charged murder, and four indictments were against policemen charging malfeasance in office. Prager who was an enemy alien, was taken from the basement of the jail in Collinsville on the morning of April 5, led to the outskirts of the town and hanged.

### NEWS BRIEVITIES.

Stonewall.—A special election has been called for May 17 on a proposed bond issue of \$10,000 with which to extend the waterworks system of the town.

Lehigh.—A 54-foot pole has been presented to the town by a coal company.

Wapanucka.—Triplets, all boys, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Proce. The attending physician christened them Red, White and Blue.

Durant.—The county Liberty Loan committee has decided to organize a strong arm squad of a few of the huskiest men to be found in the county who will call on men who refused to buy bonds and unless they show a valid reason for their refusal the squad will use persuasive measures of some kind not specified.

## QUARREL ENDS IN KILLING

BUD SHAHAN SHOT AND KILLED NEAR STEEDMAN. HOMER PANNELL WOUNDED.

Bud Shahan was shot and instantly killed and his brother-in-law, Homer Pannell, painfully wounded about sunup this morning at the home of the first named Steedman and Conway, in the eastern part of Pontotoc county. Tom Tinney surrendered to Constable W. H. Allison after the shooting was brought to Ada and lodged in jail.

The weapon used was a shotgun and Shahan received the full charge of No. 2 shot in his head, dying almost instantly. Pannell's life was probably saved by his throwing up his right hand just in time to receive most of the second charge. His hand was badly torn and some shot entered his neck. He was brought to Ada for medical attention and was able to walk about after his wounds were dressed.

Shahan and Tinney and their families occupied the same house, each family occupying a part, and it is said the trouble originated over their children. Finney had gone to Allen Thursday to swear out a warrant placing Shahan under a peace bond. This morning he is said to have opened fire while Shahan and Pannell were hitching up a team.

LIBERTY CABBAGE MAY TAKE PLACE OF SAUER KRAUT.

(By the Associated Press) New York, April 26.—Sauer kraut may be camouflaged under the name of Liberty Cabbage, if the federal food board here acts favorably on the recommendation of local vegetable dealers who assert that the pro-German stigma of the dish has been responsible for a falling off of 75 per cent in consumption since America entered the war.

### Death of Mrs. Obey Dyer.

Mrs. Obey Dyer died at her home near Abbott's store Wednesday night. The body was interred at Frisco cemetery today. The husband of deceased is in the army but reached home in time for the funeral. Mrs. Dyer is also survived by three children, 10 years, 18 months and five weeks of age, respectively. She was the daughter of Watt Chapman and niece of John Chapman of Ada. She was a lady who stood high in the esteem of the large circle of friends who knew her.

### More Coal Below.

"Snow Cole," the bootblack at Frank Yeargan's Barber Shop, was overheard talking to one of his brothers of color on the streets of Ada last evening. The other colored gentleman inquired:

"Why is it dat der am sich a short-of coal in dis here United States. I jest natchally like ter know?" "You see here, nigger," replied "Snow," "you know dem Englishmans and Frenchmans in 'urope am killing dem Germans so fast dat it am takin' a heap more coal to run 'em."

### WEATHER REPORT.

Fair weather is the outlook for Saturday.

## HOLLAND STRIKES AT UNITED STATES

PLACES EMBARGO ON SEVERAL EXPORTS FROM EAST INDIES NEEDED HERE.

(By the Associated Press) Washington, April 26.—Holland has placed an embargo on the exportation from the Dutch East Indies of tin, tin ore, cinchona bark, quinine and quinine salts, all needed in large quantities by the United States for war munitions and food preservation. Official notification of the embargo, effective April 22, was received today.

American Casualty List. Washington, April 25.—Today's casualty list contained seventy-five names, divided as follows: Killed in action, nine; died of wounds, five; died of disease, three; wounded severely, thirty-three; wounded slightly, twenty-five. Seven officers are named, five being severely wounded and two wounded slightly.

## 13 MEN WILL BE CALLED FOR IN MAY

The county exemption board is working on the list of men who will be called to service in the early part of May. Thirteen will be sent to Fort Sam Houston. Following is a tentative list, but there may be some changes in it due to a few being deferred classification on agricultural grounds.

- Order No.
- 491 Chas. R. Gee
- 1027 Clarence Henry
- 1029 Jim Peoples
- 1031 Clyde W. Chapman
- 1037 Elza Myrick
- 1043 Gardner W. Braley
- 1046 Harvey J. Palmer
- 1063 Willie O. Johns
- 1066 Richard R. Goodwin
- 1075 Floyd G. Rollow
- 1082 Leonard Southerland
- 1092 Jno. W. Grew
- 1093 Lillard L. Hill.

## CLARK DECLINES PLACE IN SENATE

(By the Associated Press) Washington, April 25.—Speaker Clark, of the House, today declined Governor Gardner's proffer of the Missouri senatorship left vacant by the death of Senator Stone.

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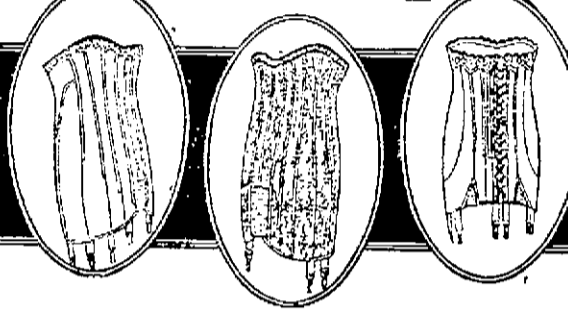
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## BRITISH FOOD CONTROLLER QUILTS

London, April 25.—David Alfred Thomas, third Baron Rhondda, has resigned the office of British food controller which he has held for the past ten months. He has been absent from his post for some time on account of illness.

## NEARLY TWO BILLION DOLLARS SUBSCRIBED

(By the Associated Press) Washington, April 26.—Liberty Loan Day opened with a total of \$1,956,776,650 already raised for the third war credit. The \$2,000,000,000 mark is expected to be passed before tonight.



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There was never a nation placed more squarely between the devil and the deep, deep sea than poor little Holland. She has long feared the greed of Germany which has had covetous eyes on the Dutch seaports and harbors, but has made every effort to remain neutral and above all not offend her barbarous neighbor. To this end Dutch ships were mostly taken from the seas until the allies seized them and put them back into service. Holland protested bitterly against the seizure, but this was probably done more to placate Germany than for any other reason. Now comes the Hun and demands the right to transport his troops and war supplies across the little country to the Dutch nation into the position of a vassal of the Kaiser and the stopping of intercourse with the allies with the consequence of facing famine. To refuse might mean to share the fate of Belgium, hence the grave situation confronting the nation. To date no inclination to yield to the unwarranted demands of the Huns has been manifest.

### THEY KNOW NOT—TEACH THEM.

This is a time that tries men's souls. More than one man has met his death at the hands of the mobs as a result of something he had said or done, relative to the war. We cannot condemn too strongly those who are not willing to roll up their sleeves, dig in and put their last effort and dollar into the mighty struggle. But at the same time we must not forget that we sometimes carry our enthusiasm too far. A man with a son in the army does not hesitate to take care of those here at home, who appear to him to be disloyal. We must sympathize with him, but there are chances of carrying a thing so far that regret afterwards will be the result.

Often times what is said or done is in ignorance. Only a few days ago we had occasion to show a man that he was wrong in regard to the draft law, and that he would get the same rights that the richest boy in the country would get. That man is now doing all he can for the war. A lady in Ada a few days ago was distributing literature which is not exact-

ly seditious but against which public opinion is bitter. It was evident that had the lady kept on, personal violence would probably have been the result. When the matter was explained to the lady, she promised to stop, for she did not know that the matter was serious.

We must be diligent. We must keep our eyes open for spies and innocent workers for the Kaiser. We must demand allegiance at home while our boys fight our battles abroad. But the County Council of Defense is an organization to look into matters of disloyalty. If you know of anything that resembles disloyalty call members of the council and the facts will be ascertained. Let's be 100 per cent loyal and at the same time know we are right.

### THE SECOND OFFENSIVE.

The second attempt of the Germans to push westward and take Amiens is making slow progress, in fact is making little progress at all. The punch that Germany put into the first drive through the British fifth army is not there any more, for the means of communication and the reserves are not so readily at hand. It begins to appear more evident day by day that Hindenburg threw his armies into this part of the line, determined to break through at any cost. By hurling row upon row of men against the allied lines, he was able to smash through, sever the French and British and for a moment it appeared that the two armies would not be able to join again. It was at this point that the French and British proved their resourcefulness and proved that they cannot be whipped by the Germans.

By a dash that was little less than marvelous the French got in front of the advancing Germans, joined hands with the British on the north, brought up the artillery, and before Hindenburg could get ready to drive further westward, his path had been blocked. Now time has been given for the transportation facilities west of the town to be put in shape for a surrender of more territory if necessary.

That a surrender of more territory at this time looks doubtful. The Germans are in a dangerous position both in the Amiens salient and in the Ypres salient. They must fight forward or before long retrace their steps, abandon territory won by the sacrifice of a half million or more men.

### HOLLAND WITH THE ALLIES.

That would sound mighty good if it were true, and why may it not be true? You hear people say they pity Holland. Of course they pity her, just as they pity Belgium, France, England, the United States or any nation at war. It is true Holland is in a peculiar place, situated beside a neighbor that respects neither the property nor the wife and daughters of his next door neighbor or his closest relative. But why should that fact keep Holland from doing what she knows is right?

It is said Germany has sent an ultimatum to Holland, demanding the right to transport war materials over Holland's railroads and through Holland's canals. If Holland permits such to be done, it is practically the same as declaring war upon the allies, for it is a clear breach of neutrality. Holland sympathy and ideals are pro-ally. For her to side with Germany would mean that she merely fears the German army. Little Belgium met the foe like a man, and if Holland does less the nation will receive and deserve the contempt of the free nations of the world. It is up to Holland to show the world that she is ready to fight for what she knows is right.

### HAVE MERCY.

Some time next month the Red Cross will ask the American people for another \$100,000,000 to carry on its work of mercy. An account of its stewardship of the first gift makes us pause before the immensity of the need which it alone can meet. And as the battles rage and the bodies of men are torn the need multiplies. You will be asked for money. Give it freely.

All Europe is aflame, yet we in America have thus far seen nothing of the red light of European devastation. All Europe is on the verge of starvation, yet we in America, despite our sacrifices, have sufficient food. We hear, as though they were olden legends, tales of the cruelty of wounded men on the battlefields, tales of desolation in towns and villages of France, yet our streets are not filled with the maimed, nor our hospitals as yet crowded with the convalescent. Our papers have only small casualty lists, but through casualty during the past three years Europe has been worn to a keen, sensitive edge of endurance.

It is only just now that the distance of three thousand miles is beginning to crumble before the nearness of war to the American people. It is only just now that our drive which is launched for the Great Cause there is felt a spiritual urge



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to contribute something to keep burning the eternal fire which is not the fire of Mars but the fire of spirit.

If we know the character of the women in the Red Cross trenches, this new drive on the part of the Red Cross will be instantly met. There is no need to justify the work. The great need is to continue it, and to continue it on as large a scale as possible. Recall what the Red Cross did at the time of the Halifax disaster, December 6, 1917. Only a few hours had elapsed after the explosion, when blankets, surgical dressings, medicines and clothing were on their way, and an entire equipment for a base hospital unit was speeded by special train. Multiply this work along hundreds of miles of battle line, where each sector on the Western Front may be regarded as a number of Halifax disasters, and you can then realize the magnitude of the need of the national Red Cross.

I see a long line of white-capped women called into the service of mercy. It is peculiarly their war, and they are waging it in the name of that long line of ravished womanhood stricken by the enemy. According to Major Grayson M. P. Murphy, American Red Cross Commissioner to Europe, she has lost nothing so far except blood. "She has fought her war on the territory of others. She has drawn from the territory of others vast supplies of materials, and vast sums of money. She has had between forty and fifty millions of people working for her for practically no wage—really as slaves." It is this that urges us to give more and still more to the Great Cause. An endless row of shining steel. A long line of never-falling, white-capped women. A host of children. And before them all, a mighty, over-riding force. Let the first line be weak through want, and the fate of the white-capped workers of the Red Cross is the fate of the long line of the ravished and deported women. Let that line go, and the future generations are put in jeopardy. We need give to mercy against the coming of those who have no mercy.—Montrose J. Moses in the May Good Housekeeping.

An electrically ignited pipe which lights the tobacco at the bottom of the bowl instead of at the top, thus avoiding the collection of moisture in the stem, is the newest in smoker's inventions.

## THOUSANDS OF PERSIANS STARVING

Petrograd, March 15.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—People are dying of hunger in the streets of the large towns of Persia, notably in Hamadan and Senne, says a dispatch from Kazvin to the Rostovskaya Rech.

"The spectre of famine has become a fearful reality," the correspondent wrote. "To pass through two or three streets in Hamadan or Senne is enough to come upon two or three dead bodies. Here and there may be groups of women mourning over their dead. Here is a beggar woman—a mother with two children; one of them a baby in arms, is dead, and near the mother, on the ground is another child dying. The mother herself is already motionless, with a frozen, unintelligent stare. The Persians, seeing that a human being is 'really' dying, shove some bread into the dying woman's mouth, but the belated help, of course, does not save her life. The poor villagers throng from the villages to the towns hoping in vain to be fed there."

"Even in Kazvin, this more or less well-to-do town, it has more than once fallen to the lot of your correspondent to take up from the streets people stripped bare, who from exhaustion have been unable to move. Mothers sell their daughters, still mere children, in order to secure a crust of bread; wives of poor men are given to the rich that their families may be maintained."

"In Hamadan, a few days ago, sparks of a hunger riot broke out, and it was only the presence of Russian troops that stopped the movement, that was ready to embrace the whole country with its flames."

"There is a report that Kuchik Khan, that freebooter's chief, who lives in the forests near Resht, and has, under arms, about 30,000 mounted men is only waiting to raise a revolt till the Russian troops leave."

"While trying to organize among the Persians, public aid for the starving, I am brought up against either the Persians' indifference or their government that is made impotent by bribery and corruption, of a truly Oriental character."

"The misery is almost irremediable."

### ATTACKS OF ALLIED AIRCRAFT ON TURKISH WARSHIP

(By the Associated Press)

London, March 30.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—More than fifteen tons of bombs were dropped by British aircraft at or upon the disabled former German battle cruiser Goeben while she lay aground at Nagara Point, in the Dardanelles, last January after a disastrous sortie, says a detailed story of the affair which has just been received here. Two hundred and seventy five airplane flights were made in an attempt to complete the destruction of the warship.

Eight or ten airplanes continuously harried the Goeben and Breslau during their sortie from the Dardanelles, compelling them to steer a zig-zag course which eventually brought Breslau into a British mine field, where she struck a mine. Shortly afterward, she was hit by an aircraft bomb and sank.

The Goeben, heading for home, also struck a mine and developed a serious list. Aircraft continued to bomb here while she entered the straits and ran aground at Nagara Point. For seven days she remained there, subjected to continual attacks from British aircraft.

On January 29 a British scout machine sighted the Goeben in the Arsenal Dry Docks at Constantinople.

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### MR. FRANK McCAIN WRITES FROM ITALY.

Mrs. L. J. McCain is in receipt of the following letter from her son, Lieut. Frank McCain, who is an instructor at the Italian aviation camp at Goggia, a town in Southern Italy. Foggia, Italy, March 23, 1918.

My Dear Mother:

For almost a week I have not written to anyone. I have tried to get down to writing to you and others, but kept waiting until a more favorable time. There has been no reason for this, for I have had much spare time. In fact, I have done very little for two months. At present there considerable signs of activity, due, possibly, to the new German offensive which started in Flanders yesterday. We are sending some men away from here tonight. They are men who have chosen a different kind of machine and that (along with the German offensive) is perhaps the reason for their departure at this time. I am preparing for a different type of machine, a much larger one, so I shall continue my training here off some time. This pleases me very well just now, but hope to move before long.

Men are packing their trunks on all sides of me. Some methodically, others as I would—haphazardly. The time element means nothing to the class of Italians around us. Ninety-nine per cent of the Italian soldiers around here are very stupid, and it takes them three or four times as long to do anything as it should. For that reason one can have them do almost anything for a little of nothing. They receive only two-cents a day for their soldier pay, so you can understand how cheap their services are.

It is still very cool here even this late in March. Today a stiff breeze is blowing a cool moisture off the Adriatic Sea.

I shall try to write more soon.  
Love,  
FRANK.

### MEXICAN DELEGATES GET COOL RECEPTION IN ARGENTINE

(By the Associated Press)

Buenos Aires, April 25.—With the departure of the Mexican delegates who came to this country as a special embassy from the President of Mexico and whose diplomatic credentials were not recognized by the government, the long-discussed congress of Latin-American neutrals appears to have been definitely abandoned by this country.

This proposed conference was to have brought the South and Central American republics into a closer union to oppose pressure from larger nations and it has been stated here that it even was to have served as the basis for a Spanish-American Union by leading to another conference between diplomatic representatives of the member republics and diplomatic agents of Spain, that country already having announced its intention of seeking closer relations with South America as soon as the war is over.

That this neutrality conference

was once the dream of President Irigoyen as the crowning glory of his international policy is no longer doubted, but it has met with such a cold reception since the South American republics began, one by one, to throw aside their neutrality and cast their lots with the Entente Allies that no one was surprised when it was announced that the proposed conference has been indefinitely postponed.

The aims and purposes of the proposed congress never were clearly set forth despite the fact that several nations invited to it insisted on such a statement being made before they accepted the invitation.

The Mexican delegates who had been assigned to attend this conference continued their journey to Argentina after being notified that the conference had been postponed, and

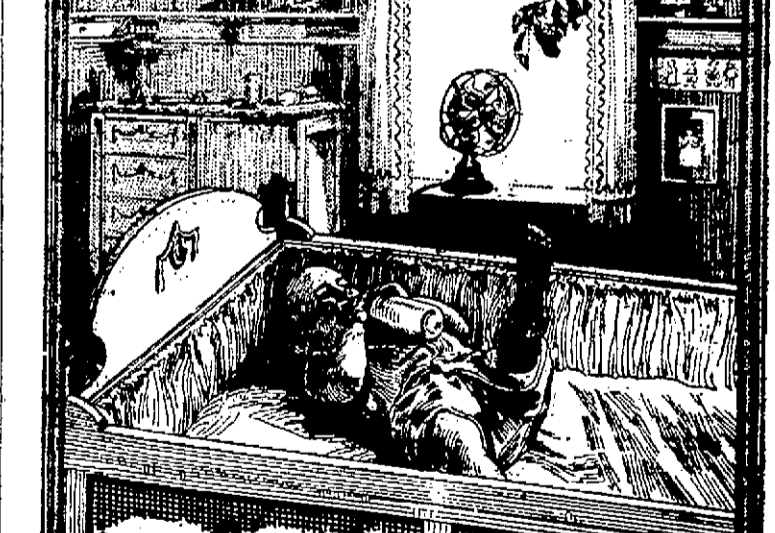
they were coolly received by both the people and the government of Argentina.

Senor Cabrera did succeed in arranging with this government for the chartering of Argentine transports to carry cereals to Mexico, but this arrangement was cancelled by the government.

Why not go where the crowd all goes? Morrison and Cooper, the Chiropractors. 4-26-18

Methodist Matters.

The pastor of the Methodist church is out of the city this week, but he will be looking for you next Sunday morning and evening. He has a war talk for the morning hour and there will be a song service at the evening hour.—W. M. Crutchfield, Pastor.



## DR. WILEY SUGGESTS ELECTRIC FAN FOR BABY

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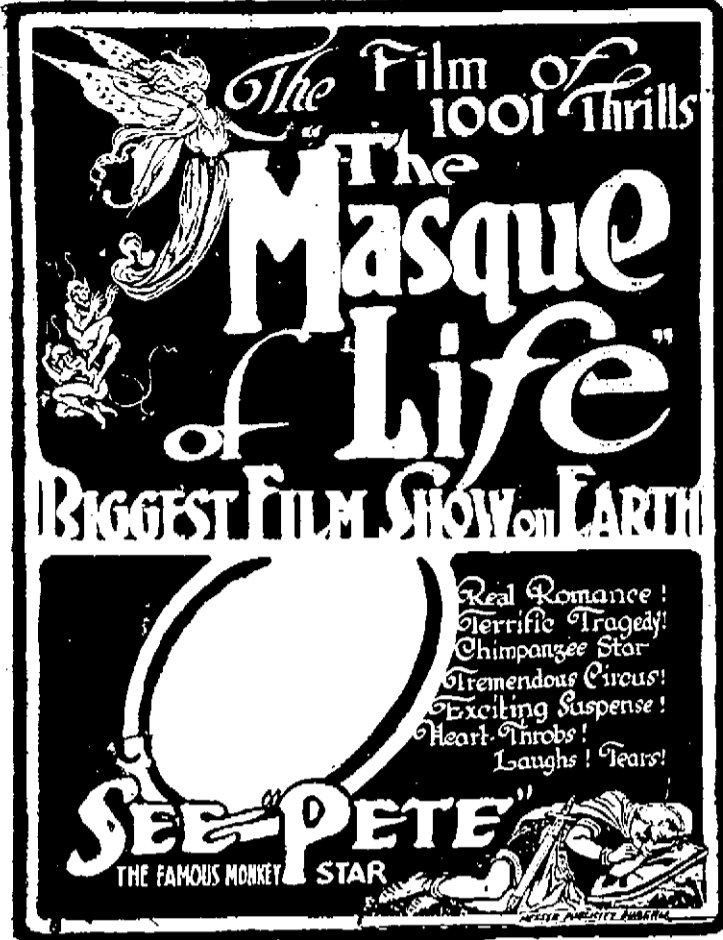
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## SHRINERS' RED CROSS FLOUR STILL SELLING

San Francisco, April 25.—The Shriners' Red Cross sack of flour has brought \$18.000 since it started around the country from Islam temple here.

Charlotte, N. C. Oasis temple sold it for \$1,000 and Srescent Temple at Trenton, N. J., got \$1,150 for it. Bridgeport, Conn., and Indianapolis have both sold the same sack.

On May 2, India Temple at Oklahoma City will sell the sack at its golden jubilee, and figure on getting at least \$50,000 for it. If they do, it will be the highest price ever paid for a sack of flour. The highest mark to date is \$40,000, paid for the famous Civil War sack of flour in Virginia City, Nev.

The Red Cross sack will be taken to the Shriners' imperial council in Atlantic City next June by Potentate John D. McGilvray of San Francisco. The sack was started out by Clarence F. Pratt, historian of Islam temple.

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"You must know I believe in Tanlac when I have bought fifteen bottles. But the few dollars it cost me amounts to only a trifle as compared to what I have received in return, for I wouldn't take hundreds of dollars for the good the medicine has done me," said J. D. English, an employee of the City of El Paso, Texas, residing at 910 East Fourth street.

"Up to three years ago," continued Mr. English, "I was just about as strong and healthy as most any man you'll find. Then I lost my appetite and began to fall off in weight and go down hill. My old time energy and vitality left me. I suffered often with nervousness and headache and kept getting worse until I could hardly get out of bed in the mornings. My wife would almost have to yank me out of bed, and to tell you the truth, my condition was getting critical."

"I finally decided to see what Tanlac would do for me, and I began to improve right away until now I have gained more than twenty pounds and am feeling a hundred percent fine when it comes to health, strength and energy. I actually feel as good as I did when I was a boy. I'm the first one up in the mornings and I can do as much work in a day as anyone and not feel the least bit tired. I am now telling my friends who I know to be in a rundown condition like I was if they take Tanlac and it don't help them I'll pay the bill, and I mean it. I certainly do believe in Tanlac. I consider it the finest medicine ever sold in a drug store and I guess I ought to know."

Tanlac is sold in Ada by Gwin & Mays Drug Company, and by leading druggists and dealers everywhere.

### Our New Food Habits.

That the campaign of conservation and elimination necessitated by the war is teaching the people of this country new food habits which are an improvement upon our former menus is the belief of Mildred Maddocks, domestic science expert, and director of Good Housekeeping Institute. She interprets several of the recommendations of the Food Administration as follows:

"You are asked to substitute other cereals for wheat. In selecting them choose corn preparations, toasted, flaked, grits, hominy, samp, corn meal, and hulled corn. Use rice with care, and use it in place of wheat, flaked or cracked, and all the forms of oatmeal and rolled oats."

"In selecting breads, remember, if you buy them that the baker has already followed the war formula, so you need only use the leaves with no waste, and your obligations will be met. But if you make bread in your own home, use one cup of barley, rye, or corn flour to every three cups of barley, rye or corn flour. Every three cups of wheat flour. Yeast bread is an impossibility without some wheat flour, so far the wheatless days use the quick breads leavened with baking powder that can be made entirely without wheat."

"In selecting meat, buy enough for the ample nourishment of your family. Do not attempt a vegetarian plan with growing children, although for adults it will prove safe enough. Foods that have real meat value, and that may be substituted to a large extent for meat, are eggs, cheese, milk, beans, soy beans, peas, fish and cereals."

"In buying poultry, remember that fowl and heavy quinea hens and heavy geese represent more food value for the money than chicken, guinea 'keets' that often masquerade as game, or ducklings."

"There are now excellent substitutes for butter. Use the animal and vegetable margarine especially for adults, leaving the real butter allowance for the children. In cooking use fats, whether animal or vegetable, sparingly and with judgment. Some of the newer fats that housekeepers are becoming familiar with are the cotton-seed oils and hardened cotton-seed fats, the peanut oils and the coconut oils, and hardened fats."

"Deep frying is more economical of fat than sauteing. It is not too much to ask every Kitchen Soldier to throw away her saute pan, spider or frying pan (all three names are used for the same utensil,) at least until the end of the war. By that time it will be safe to say she will never return it to service."

"The sugar situation is easing considerably, but canning time is approaching, therefore continue the use of sirups in quantity in order to conserve sugar for canning in which it is not easy to use substitutes."

"And finally and most important of all: Adopt a tolerant attitude of mind in facing new conditions, that will enable you to accept and use the new foods as they come on the market, giving them at least the one fair trial that they deserve."

### No Cure for Fowl Cholera.

"There is no cure that I know of for fowl cholera," says professor H. E. Emberton of A. and M. College. "My recommendation would be to kill off and burn or deeply bury all of the affected birds."

"If your poultry house is stationary, or if the birds are in the habit of roosting in one spot, I should see to it that there is a change made so that the birds get on fresh ground. I would build a colony house with runners underneath it so that this colony house could be moved around the yard. Before moving the house I would disinfect it thoroughly with a 10 per cent solution of sheep or cattle dip. A little potassium permanganate in the water, just enough to give it a good pink color, would help materially as a preventive with the well birds."

Health makes wealth. See Morrison and Cooper. 4-26-1t

## ENLISTED NAVY MEN CAN GET COMMISSIONS

(By the Associated Press)  
Kansas City, Mo., April 26.—Any men enlisting in the navy or enrolling in the naval reserve may win a commission if he can pass the rigid professional and physical tests of the navy, according to an announcement made by the navy recruiting service at Kansas City today.

All naval recruits are now eligible for what the navy calls officer material classes. The requirements are at least on month in the navy, between 21 and 30 years of age, education equivalent to at least completion of high school course including trigonometry and knowledge of logarithms, and fitness to lead men.

Selections for officer material schools are not made at recruiting stations. Men wishing to try for navy commissions must enlist or enroll in the regular way and take their chances of being designated. If they are not designated or fail to qualify they will not be discharged from naval service but made petty officers and retained in service until the end of the war. They will not be barred from entering a later class at the officers' school however.

## YU DONE LOST YO OWN LANGUAGE??

With the American Army on the Lorraine Front, March 14.—(By Mail)—He was a black boy from Alabama—lonesome. He had been working in a stone quarry most all day and no one had said a word to him. He happened to look across the way and there was another black boy in khaki. The other black boy was a French colonial, but the American black boy looked only at the face and the color of the uniform.

"Low niggah, how's tricks?" was the opening social parry.

No answer.

"Ah say niggah, does you know Ah's talkin' to you?"

Then astonishment. From the other black came a rattle of French that would put a machine gun to shame.

The black boy from Alabama gasped. He couldn't believe his eyes or his ears.

"Foh da Gawd's sawe, niggah, has you been mixed up with these Frenchers so much you done lost yo' own language?" and he went back to work.

### PICKET PICKINGS

We had some real cold weather last week but the weather is nice now.

Dipping cattle was the order of the day last Friday.

Slugging at Mr. Hudlow's Sunday night and all report a good time.

Mr. Bullock's baby has been real sick but was better the last report the water had.

Miss Oma Decker was visiting at Mr. Faulkenberry's Sunday.

Dee Campbell is on the sick list this week.

All report a good time at the party at Roy Townsley's Saturday night.

There was a musical entertainment at Mr. Jim Hower's Monday night and all report a nice time.

Eugene Phillips was visiting Sterling Jones Saturday night and Sunday.

Pearl Hudlow was visiting at Mr. Craig's Sunday and Sunday night.

The Picket school is doing nicely and are arranging to render a nice program at the close of the school.

Mr. George Hinkle made a trip to Lawrence Sunday.

Some are planting cotton this week.

Mr. Hudlow and family were visiting at Mr. Hinkle's home Sunday.

Mr. Faulkenberry had two good horses to die with blind staggers last week.

### CHOCTAW BILL.

#### Versailles.

Washington, April 25.—Versailles chosen as the meeting place for the Allied War Conference, which is to weld the armies and navies of the nations, arrayed against the Central Powers, into compact fighting bodies, is a spot rich in historic events. Through its lights and shadows and the vast halls of the stately palaces of Louis XIV, have walked men and women whose names will live as long as history itself. Here have been held solemn conferences at which great wars have been ended and the very fate of nations and states determined.

There in 1789, Marie Antoinette faced the wild mobs of the French Revolution, there in 1871 the father of the revolution, there in 1871 the grandfather of the kaiser was crowned as of Paris.

Significant too is the recollection that the site where American representatives now are co-operating with England and France there was signed in 1782 the preliminary treaty ending the American Revolution.

In the magnificent palace erected at an estimated cost of \$200,000,000 there were born Louis XV, Louis XVI, and Louis XVII, as well as several of France's ablest military leaders.

### Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and for their sympathy during the illness and at the death of our darling baby girl.

We are especially thankful for the beautiful offerings of flowers and to those who so graciously furnished their cars.

Jack Brundidge and Family.

### JONES CHAPEL.

School closes Saturday, April 27. We have an entertaining program for that night. Everybody invited.

A few of the farmers of this neighborhood are planting cotton.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Charlie Norton has entirely recovered from the mumps.

Mrs. Whipple and Johnie Hardin visited school Wednesday.

Everything looks green and prosperous since the many rains. All we need to make things grow is warm nights.

Miss Bulen and Miss Hardin made a flying trip to town Wednesday.

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Citizens of Third Ward. There will be no meeting of the council of defense tonight. Come next Friday night and be patriotic. Program Committee.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

## WANT ADS

### LOST

LOST—Diamond bar pin. Reward for return to Grace Threlkeld. 4-24-1t

LOST—Auto Casing—size 35x4 1/2—nearly new when lost was on an apartment rim. Liberal reward for return of same. N. B. Haney, Jr. 4-22-5t

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished bed room. Close in. 419 West 10th. 4-23-1t

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. Phone 716. 4-22-5t

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. 211 West 14th. 4-26-1t

FOR RENT—Furnished 2-room apartment. 800 East 7th St. 4-26-1t

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. 211 West 14th. 4-25-1t

FOR RENT—Furnished bed rooms.—Mrs. M. J. Phillips, 707 East Main. Phone 109. 1-3-1t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms and two-room cottage in yard, 14th and Broadway. Mrs. Banks. 4-23-1t

FOR RENT—Elegant front bed room, also garage. Close in. Mrs. A. M. Bailey, Phone 701. 4-19-1t

### WANTED

WANTED—Your cleaning and pressing. Miller Bros. 3-1-1t

WANTED—10c and 15c each paid for moles. B. H. McCulley, East Main. 4-15-1mo

WANTED—Waitresses. Apply in person.—Mrs. Land's Lunch Room. 4-25-1t

WANTED—Housekeeper, must be neat and clean. Phone 660 or apply at 518 E. 13th. 3-29-1t

WANTED—Second hand meal and cake bags. Will pay ten cents each for good sound bags. Osage Cotton Oil Company. 3-25-1t

WANTED—Position as clerk. 15 years experience. Groceries, Hardware or Furniture. Am working, but must change on account of schools. Address care of News, "E. H. 300." 4-26-1t

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New six room modern house. Telephone 315. 4-22-1t

FOR SALE—Regular oil maps of the fields in this county. Ada News. 3-22-1t

FOR SALE—One dozen R. I. Red Pullets. One 50-bbl. galvanized tank. Phone 443. 4-24-3t

FOR SALE—200 bu. Mebane cotton seed. W. E. Walker, Ada, R. F. D. 2. 4-23-4td-1tw

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I have a 5 passenger Overland and a 7 passenger Mitchell, both in first class condition, which I will sell at a bargain on easy terms, or will trade for city property or farm. Phone 123.—J. W. Horn. 4-26-2t

FOR SALE—Two cars, one Overland, one Maxwell. Overland is an electric starter and in A1 shape, ready to run. Let me show you these cars. Priced right for cash. See me at once if you want a good car cheap. Robt. H. Gregory, Cor Broadway and Tenth Sts., Phone 252. 4-24-6t

FOR SALE—220-egg Imperial incubator used one season. Good as new and a splendid machine. 190 egg Old Trusty. 75 egg Safety Hatch. One roll of old and one roll of new wire cheap. 30 full blood Rhode Island Red hens. Call at Texas Wagon Yard for particulars. 4-25-2t

### MISCELLANEOUS

FOR TRADE—No. 4 Underwood Typewriter for No. 5 Underwood. Will give good trade. See W. D. Little at News office. 3-25-1t

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WARRANTY DEEDS.

Wallace Henry et al. to George Terry, \$1; e2 se sec. 24, sw se, sec. 24, s2 sw sw sec. 13, all in twp. 1 n. 33; se ne sec. 25, e2 sw ne, sw ne sec. 25, all in 2n 4e, and sw nine 66-100 acres of lot 3, sec. 19, 1n 4e. George Terry to First Natl. Bank, Roff, \$1; this is to correct a deed made by same parties covering e2 sw nw recorded in Record 3 page 185. A. M. Bailey to R. A. Herndon and C. H. Rives, \$150; Its y3, 14, 15, 16, blk 6, Portland Park add to Ada.

Mollie Gray to Joe Gray, \$2,000; Its 3, 4, blk 1, Greenwood add to Ada. Its A. Thompson to D. Goodpasture, \$3500; ne se sec. 1, 1n 3n, 5e. First State Bank, Vanoss to L. P. Shaw, \$600; Its 1 8to 20, blk. 25, Vanoss.

K. C. Parks to Lillie McDonald, \$700; Its 9, 10, blk. 58, Ada. O. & G. Leage.

Theodore and E. J. Benton to John C. Kincaid, w2 se sec. 24, 2n, 5e. Elizabeth J. Benton to Same, sw sec. 24, E2 ne se, ne se se of sec. 23, 2n, 5e.

You should be glad to assist a little. A young woman who is paying her own way to a higher education. This, Miss Lillie Lanson, the reader at the Christian church Friday evening, is trying to do. Buy a ticket. 4-25-2t

Ladies, get an exclusive style dress or waist at Burk's. 4-23-5td-1tw

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Our boys are fighting for freedom in lands beyond the seas. We must fight for our Soldiers in our Stores, by our Firearms and on our Farms. We must produce everything we can to sustain the lives of our Soldiers. We must buy Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps to sustain the life of our Government.

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F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

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Ada Commandery No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday of each month.  
C. G. BRADFO D. E. C.  
F. C. SIMS, Recorder.

W. O. W.  
Ada Camp, No. 568, meets every Tuesday night, 1. O. O. F. Hall 7:30 o'clock.  
HUGH BENNETT, C. G.  
OTTO STONE, Clerk.

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E. S. HARAWAY, Sec.

The O. E. S. Chapter No. 78.  
Regular meetings on the Second and Fourth Thursday nights.  
MRS. MINNIE WILSON, W. M.  
C. G. BRADFORD, Sec'y.

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FRANK ARNETT, N. G.  
H. C. EVANS, Sec'y.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISTRICT AND COUNTY  
The News is authorized to announce the following gentlemen as candidates for the respective offices named, subject to the Democratic Primary:

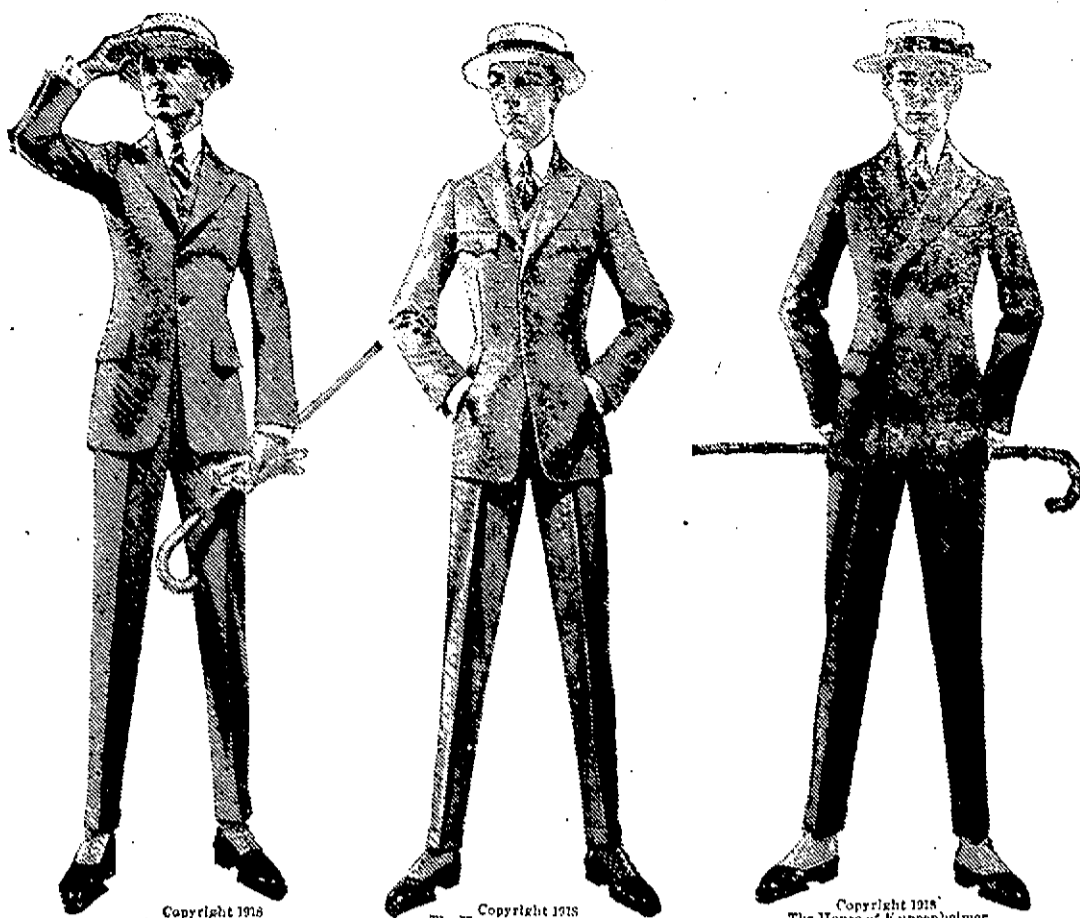
For District Judge:  
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For County Attorney:  
WAYNE WADLINGTON.

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D. W. SWAFFAR.  
For Sheriff:  
BOB DUNCAN (reelection)

For County Tax Assessor:  
NICK HEARD (Re-election)  
For County Clerk:  
MELTON GARNER

For County Weigher:  
O. J. LEE (Re-election).  
JOHN WARD

For County Judge:  
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## City News

Get it at Gwin & Mays.  
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All vegetable plants cash.—Ada Greenhouse.  
3-29-1f  
Alfalfa hay 75c per bale. W. C. Rollow. 4-23-5t  
W. F. Schulte was a passenger to Holdenville this afternoon.  
Curlee Clothing at Burk's.

4-23-5td-1tw  
C. H. Ennis was down from Shawnee today looking after business matters.

D. C. Hybarger and wife were down from Chickasha today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Obey Dyer.

It is a pleasure for us to show you our different kinds of plants and flowers, whether you buy or not.—Ada Greenhouse.

4-18-1f  
Mmes. Leo French and Orr of Francis, who were guests of the Charlton family, returned home this afternoon.

For the convenience of the public the News is carrying on sale a supply of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Certificates.

A. N. Leecraft, member of the state board of affairs, visited the normal this morning and addressed the students at the chapel hour.

Sergeant J. H. Hodges, who is in service at Camp Travis, was in the city this afternoon and visited the normal of which he was at one time a student.

Spend a pleasant evening at the Christian Church. Friday, the 26th, at the Benefit Concert by Misses Lawson and McKuer of the Oklahoma University.

Oscar Hatcher of Camp Bowie, Texas, is in Stoneville this week visiting his parents and friends. Oscar is in line for promotion to a lieutenant in the army.—Stonewall News.

The new rule is, Go to Work; Go to War, or Go to Jail. If you are all going to Morrison and Cooper.

4-26-1t  
Mrs. S. W. Hill, who was called to Albany, Georgia, returned home Thursday afternoon. She found her daughter, Annie Laurie, considerably better than she had been.

You should be glad to assist a little, a young woman who is paying her own way, to a higher education. This, Miss Lillie Lawson, the reader at the Christian church this evening, is trying to do. Buy a ticket.

E. B. Riley and wife and Fritz Johnston and family were the guests of Mrs. L. A. Maxey today. Mr. Riley will leave this evening with the other soldier boys for Camp Travis.

You will enjoy the best concert by Misses Lawson and McKuer of the Oklahoma University at the Christian church this evening. Don't fail to be present.

W. T. Cox and wife returned from Corpus Christi, Tex., Thursday where they spent most of the cold weather. They are both considerably improved in health. The trip was made in their auto without mishap. Mr. Cox spent most of his life in Texas, but says Oklahoma looks better every time he is away for a time and returns.

Supt. E. O. Davis is going to Norman this afternoon to attend the High school superintendents and principals annual meeting. While there he is going to discuss the proposition of getting our school fully affiliated with the university. He will have a conference with the high school inspector, A. C. Parsons.—Stonewall News.

MEASAGE OF PINK BOLLWORM IS EXPLAINED TO FARMERS.  
Houston, Texas, April 26.—Experts from the Federal Agricultural Department, co-operating with those of the Texas Agricultural Department, are spending much time in the bollworm-infested district of South Texas talking personally with farmers in an effort to show them what they will cost the State and themselves in the long run if they persist in planting cotton regardless of the Governor's proclamation.

Dr. W. D. Hunter, member of the Federal Horticultural Board, with Houston headquarters, is untiring in his efforts to bring the situation home to the farmers of the infested district, and under his direction a number of community meetings are being held. In nearly every instance when the farmers became personally familiar with the situation they agreed to refrain from planting cotton.

Last Saturday Governor Hobby issued another proclamation, calling attention of the farmers to the danger to the State if they planted cotton in the forbidden district, and this proclamation is being mailed out this week to the interested farmers from Dr. Hunter's office.

Consul Henry D. Baker reports from Trinidad, British West Indies, that the Agricultural Society of Trinidad and Tobago, in co-operation with the Board of Agriculture of Trinidad, held an agricultural and industrial exhibition at the Prince's Building, Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, on March 22, 23 and 24, 1918.

Notice, W. O. W.  
I have received the receipts for those who have paid annual dues and the owners will please call for them.  
OTTO STONE, Clerk.

Many pigs die from becoming overheated in the cars while in transit. This is being taken care of by providing a shower bath attachment in the cars for cooling the pigs off at regular intervals.

## "TOTES" FIVE AT ONE TIME

Representative Kitchen Has Right to Claim Efficiency When It Comes to Carrying Children.

Claude Kitchen of North Carolina, floor leader of the house of representatives, is a modest chap. There is one accomplishment, however, of which he is inclined to be boastful. He contends that he is probably the than-whomest person in the entire country when it comes to carrying small children.

"I can tote more kids," brags Claude, "than anybody!"

Doubtless he is right, for he has had more favorable conditions to develop his skill in that line than falls to the lot of the average man. Claude is the parent of nine girls and boys. Who wouldn't attain a certain proficiency at lugging youngsters, a certain expert technique, as you might say, with the wealth of opportunity right at hand for daily practice? Kitchen contends that he can carry five children, all too small to walk, and can do it with the utmost unconcern.

"You tuck two under each arm," he explains, "taking them firmly about the waists, with the smaller kid on top and the heads forward. That makes four. The fifth you can let ride on your shoulders."

And there are eye witnesses who declare that they have seen Claude Kitchen performing that identical feat.—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

## STEEL TUBE IS UNBREAKABLE

So Constructed That Even Dynamite Has No Effect on It, as Tests Have Proved.

Steel tubes are now being made so tough that dynamite will not break them. A writer in Railway and Locomotive Engineering cites some instances in which this has been proved recently.

He tells of an 18-foot length of 5 3/16 inch steel casing that was stuck in an oil well and 170 quarts of nitroglycerin were shot off in the well to blow out the pipe and at the same time to "shoot" the well. The explosion did not budge the pipe, however, but reduced it to about six feet in length, making it crump, but not even cracking it.

In an Oklahoma oil field a string of 340 feet of ten-inch oil-well casing fell 236 feet to the bottom of a well. The casing was not broken by the shock, although the thread protector was forced over the threads about twelve or thirteen inches and the bottom of the pipe was bent backward and inward.

In a similar case 34,000 pounds of pipe fell 200 feet and the impact telescoped the three lower sections, one inside and one outside, but no weld failed, nor was there a crack in any one of the pieces of pipe.

## BULGARIA A RICE COUNTRY.

Bulgaria possesses admirable advantages for rice growing on an extensive scale, climate and soil both being favorable, especially along the Maritza river and the marshy banks of the Struma and the Vardar. Roumania is too far north and Serbia too rugged to permit of rice culture, but in southern Bulgaria and Macedonia are found many plains along the rivers well adapted for great plantations. The hilly country in northern Bulgaria, where many small rivers take their course to the Danube, is favorable for rice growing, although there are no extensive plains in that region.

Formerly there were rice fields in the neighborhood of Vratza and Ferdinand, but these have been turned into groves of mulberry trees for the rearing of silkworms. About the town of Kustendil the rice fields have given place almost entirely to fruit orchards, and the same is true of Dupnitsa.

## NATURAL INSTINCT.

"How did the Indians out there on the reservation want to vote?"  
"They seemed inclined to the blanket ballot."

## LIKE THE WORLD.

Mother—Come, Charlie, it's time to get up.  
Charlie—Then I'll lie abed till it comes around again.

## AN EXCEPTION.

"You surely do not approve of the mailed hand in business?"  
"Oh, yes, I do, if it is the postman's."

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## KING RENE'S DAUGHTER STORY BRIEFLY TOLD

By M. B. Molloy  
Iolanthe is a blind princess, daughter of King Rene, Count of Provence. She was stricken with blindness when but a year old, previously having been betrothed by her parents to the son of the Count of Vaudemont, a neighbor province to King Rene's.

The king had so guarded her life that, though she was now grown, she did not know that she could not see. That is, she did not know that anybody could see—that that great musician had recently given her an amulet to charm away her blindness. He did not tell her the purpose of the gift, but told her father that the amulet would restore her sight if he would have her informed that she was blind. The father strangely refused to have her so informed.

Next the story gives us in song beautiful glimpses of the valley where Iolanthe lives, of its flowers, of its dells, of her power in the valley, and then of her passing beauty and charm.

Next comes the rapturous story of a wandering troubadour who spies her, and this troubadour turns out to be her lover, her betrothed, who as the story goes had never seen her, a territorial feud having kept them apart. Then enthralled with her beauty the troubadour sings to her of charming colors and sight, and she listens, she starts, she has returned. His song had taught her she was blind and the magic amulet restored her sight.

Then follows the story of recognition and love and happiness.

## AMERICAN MARINES LOSE HEAVILY IN BATTLE.

Washington, April 26.—Marines fighting in France have had a total of 274 casualties, marine corps headquarters announced today. The casualties were divided as follows: Officers, wounded, 4; enlisted men killed 34, and enlisted men wounded 236.

One company lost 21 men killed and 140 wounded out of a total strength of 250 men.

This was the first official announcement that the marines are taking an active part in the fighting. The marines were among the first soldiers to go to France, but it had been understood they were being used back of the fighting line.

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## MORE SOLDIERS OFF TO CAMP TONIGHT

Thirty-four young men from Pontotoc county are scheduled to leave for Camp Travis this afternoon about 7 o'clock via the Frisco. Most of them reported this afternoon, but it is probable that several who are elsewhere at this time will either go from where they happen to be or enter some other line of service open at this time.

Five colored men will leave tomorrow afternoon for Funston, Kansas.

Somebody is always wanting to know how much salary the president gets. The total amount the government provides him for clerk hire and White House expenses, including his salary, is \$260,000 annually. Of this, \$75,000 is straight salary, \$25,000 for traveling expenses and \$160,000 for the rest.

Studies of the monthly per capita consumption of wheat, meat, fat and sugar in the United States and in European countries shows that, in general, people in the United States eat the most a person.

Total loans to farmers by the federal land loan banks since their establishment amount to nearly \$78,000,000 to 34,145 farmers.

## TRAIN SCHEDULE

Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway	
East	
No. 20 Lv. Daily	11:15 A. M.
No. 16 Lv. Daily	10:05 P. M.
West	
No. 19 Av. Daily	4:36 P. M.
No. 15 Av. Daily	5:00 A. M.
Santa Fe Railroad	
East	
No. 450 Lv. Daily	3:30 P. M.
No. 446 Av. Daily	1:20 P. M.
West	
No. 449 Lv. Daily	11:00 A. M.
No. 445 Lv. Daily	3:00 P. M.
Frisco	
North	
No. 526, Okmulgee Lv.	6:00 A. M.
No. 610 Eastern Ex. Lv.	12:30 P. M.
No. 512 Meteor Lv.	4:32 P. M.
South	
511 Meteor Ar.	12:57 P. M.
507 Sherman Ex. Ar.	6:00 P. M.
527 From Okmulgee Ar.	8:15 P. M.

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## FEATURE NIGHT

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## ODD FELLOWS HOLD SESSION

PONTOTOC COUNTY ASSOCIATION  
MEETS HERE, ATTENDANCE  
AROUND 200.

The Odd Fellows of Pontotoc county met this afternoon to observe the Wilkey anniversary celebration. After registering at the I. O. O. F. hall they paraded the business streets then returned to the court house where an open session was held. The principal feature of this was an address by A. N. Leecraft, Past Grand Master of Oklahoma. At 7:30 the closing session will be held and degrees conferred.

The attendance will probably reach 200; delegates coming from all parts of the county.

## Theaters

### MAJESTIC.

The Masque of Life will be presented this evening and tomorrow.

### LIBERTY

Bobby "Possum" Jarvis and his dancing beauty chorus appear in an entirely new program and one that causes a person to forget his troubles. The picture program features Alice Joyce in the Fettered Woman, a Blue Ribbon Vitagraph. It is a story of a girl's fight against a very unjust state of affairs.

### Feature Night at the Big Tent.

Tonight the Dubinsky Bros. Stock Co. will present their feature play of their engagement, a four act semi-military play entitled "Poor Butterfly." This play has never been presented before on the road just being written last winter by Mr. Ed Dubinsky. This play next fall will tour the country at \$1.50 prices. It is a play you will all enjoy dealing with the present war in France. As an extra attraction Miss Rae Nye, mystery girl, will give a forecast of this city and its future, also telling you when the war will end and who will win the war. The doors will open tonight at 7:15 so come early and avoid the rush.